

AN ACT

relating to the definition of "school year" for purposes of the
Teacher Retirement System of Texas.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Section 821.001(15), Government Code, is amended
to read as follows:

(15) "School year" means[+]

~~[(A)]~~ a 12-month period beginning ~~[approximately]~~
September 1 and ending ~~[approximately]~~ August 31 of the next
calendar year[~~+ or~~

~~[(B) for a member whose contract or oral or
written work agreement begins after June 30 and continues after
August 31 of the same calendar year, a period not to include more
than 12 months beginning on the date the contract or agreement
begins].~~

SECTION 2. This Act applies beginning with the 2012-2013
school year.

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2011.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 2561 was passed by the House on April 20, 2011, by the following vote: Yeas 145, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting.

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 2561 was passed by the Senate on May 5, 2011, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: _____

Date

Governor